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## JESUS UBER ALLES.

(The following Christmas tribute, written by a friend of the editor's, is so excellent and timely that we are taking the liberty of placing it in our editorial space.)

### What did he think?

He thought a boy ought to be obedient to his parents, not hurrying out of childhood, nor shirking the duty and the discipline of home. Have the centuries improved his opinion?

He thought that even though a man should be at his prayer, and should there remember that another had just ground for grievance against him, he was to leave the very altars of God to go and make the matter fair and right. Who talks of justice and reality in religion?

He thought the Sabbath was made for man, and the bending heads of all the harvests, and the blue waves of the billowing sea; that the heart of a friend was a sanctuary never to be betrayed or defiled, that women were to be honored, children lifted up and the prodigal received with a banquet.

He thought God was our Father, men our brothers and heaven our home.

### What did He Feel?

He felt that there were other things to appeal to a son of man besides the price of Jerusalem real estate. He felt the temptations and difficulties of the rich also, and never failed, though he warned against wealth.

He felt the joy of the sparrow, the grace of the green fields and the poetry of the falling night.

He felt the subtle processes of vegetation, observed the mother instinct of the hen, and spoke to the heart of the storm.

He felt the whelming mystery of the fathomless tragedy of sin, and folded in his good carpenter's arms the world's little children who had never really had a friend before.

He heard the cry for purity in the heart of the harlot, and established her wounded feet in the way of her father's house. He felt the remorse of the youth who had wasted all, the angelic joy of his repentance also, and he gave us the master piece of the meeting of father and son at the gates of return.

He felt the worthlessness and cheat of the things that will not last, the glory of the hidden and enduring values. And he warned against the fol-

ly of petty ambition and eminence among men.

His awful indignation twisted human speech into scorpions of furious wrath at the pious wiles of the hypocrite; and in the same hour the sea of His soul's compassion broke like a mother's sobs over the sin and unhappiness of His people.

### What Did He Do?

He labored in a workman's shop. He went to the neighboring church. He heard the cry of the bedeviled and sorrowing and stopped to understand and help.

He broke the incusted bigotries of the centuries and lashed the back of low-browed greed from the sacred places. He pressed on with the light of life from village to village against the anxious remonstrance of His friends, and in the teeth of those who hated.

He went with His mother to the wedding, joined His kinfolk in the patriotic journey to the capital city, fed the hungry, fought with devils, forgave His enemies, and tied the tongues of the lawyers in hard knots.

He applied body and brain, voice, time and toil to life as it ought to be, to life at its best. He demanded of Peter that he put up his sword, stretched His form to its full height for His cross and sent forth His full cry "I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly."

Glory to God in the Highest,

On Earth Peace and Good Will Toward Men.

## YULETIDE AGAIN.

The Yuletide season is with us again.

It is with us, but not of us, for much of the earth knows little of the joy of today.

Upon many millions of people the sun shines as brightly as in days of old, but its luster is dimmed by the shed blood of suffering humanity.

The benign smile of the Divine One is as tender and as loving as when the world was young, but the twentieth century finds too many of the human race bent upon pleasure, and profit, and revenge, and forgetful of the beauty of life as seen through eyes that are better and holier than ours.

It is with this knowledge that the people of our community approach the Yuletide time, when all should be sunshine and gladness, and joy. But if we may not sway the rest of the world, if our voices are not heard beyond the confines of our own fire sides, we yet may look upward with a feeling of gladness and thankfulness that the horrors that are engulfing the rest of the world have passed us by.

We may be thankful that we have even an hour of peace and prosperity for our country, though no one knows when the withering hand of the blight of the century may be spread over our own fair land.

Let us be joyful today, but let us mingle that joy with compassion for the stricken ones of other lands, to whom the Yuletide season is but an agonizing delusion.

In our opinion the best remedy for this high cost of living is more food crops and bigger food crops. In addition to this, we should follow the example set by the Germans and learn to live in a large measure on what we have been throwing away. After this war we shall have to compete with them and if we are to do this successfully, we must study and acquire economy and efficiency.

The farmer boy himself has given the best reason of all why boys leave the farm; it is because Billie's calf grows to be pa's cow.

Says the Boston Herald:—It appears that the election of Cats in Florida was the result of scratching the regular democratic ticket.

If the price of paper continues to climb, manufacturers will be forced to discontinue its use in shoe soles.

No, my son, Santa Claus is not a myth. Even your father will acknowledge that.

Notice—Hunters—You are forbidden to hunt on the following lands. Those doing so will be prosecuted to the extent of the law: A. A. Sternberger, E. L. Allen, R. W. Cox, E. E. Marbury, Sam Warf.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sturdivant will spend Christmas in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Alsey Mann of Rudolph were in town Wednesday.

Mr. Arthur Smith is expected Christmas to visit Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Shaw.

Miss Annie Lynn Bomer left this week for Alsatia, La., to spend the holidays with her parents.

Miss Lucile Byrn left Thursday for Memphis, where she will remain for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sturdivant and son will be with Mr. and Mrs. Mann Wills during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Walker of Muskegoe, and little daughter, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Thomas.

Ridley Wills is expected Saturday from Vanderbilt to spend the Christmas vacation with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayor of Louisville will be the guests next week of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Sternberger.

Judge Pittman and Mr. Carothers Ewing are expected to spend a part of next week with Dr. Tom King.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Taliaferro and daughter, Miss Annie Laura, are spending the holidays in Memphis.

Sam Bacherig of Memphis will arrive Sunday to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bacherig.

Mr. and Mrs. Hotchkiss Young will arrive Saturday to spend the week end with Mrs. Minne Young and children.

Misses Edna and Jamie Mann will leave Saturday for Arkansas, where they will spend the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Albert Carlton spent Sunday with his wife in Memphis. Mrs. Carlton is expected to return home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Uhlman and children of Peoria, Ill., will visit Mr. and Mrs. Julius Marks during the holidays.

Miss Mary Ann Taylor of Springdale, Ark., is the attractive guest of Mr. and Mrs. Will Davis for the holidays.

Estes Evans and Miss Mariam are spending the Christmas holidays at Nashville with their aunt, Mrs. J. M. Dykes.

Miss Winnie Bumpass of Gadsden, Ala., will arrive Saturday to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Y. C. Bumpass.

Misses Bang and Hughes left today for their home in Nashville to be gone until school is resumed on January 2.

Miss Ernestine Allen has arrived from Lynchburg, Va., to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Allen.

Mrs. Lillie Moore Estes, Miss Annie Lynn Estes and Mr. Lawrence Estes of Orvys were in Brownsville the first of the week.

Mrs. Rebecca Pruitt of Lebanon and Mrs. Travis Duff of Fort Worth, Tex., were the guests of Mrs. T. B. King for the week end.

Mrs. Henry Davis and children of Blytheville, Ark., are here the guests of Mrs. M. L. Davis. Dr. Davis will arrive Sunday.

Mr. Arthur King left Tuesday for Vicksburg and Jackson, Miss., where he will spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Felsenthal have returned to their home in Louisville after a visit to their mother, Mrs. Fanny Sternberger.

Mr. and Mrs. George Womack and two daughters of Duncan, Okla., will be the guests next week of Mr. and Mrs. Mann Wills.

Messrs. Vogler and Ogilby of the

# Christmas Greeting!

## CHRISTMAS SELECTIONS

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Hats.  
Umbrellas.  
Canes.  
Supporters.

Suit Cases.  
Slippers.  
Shoes  
Hand Bags.

Raincoats.  
Overcoats.  
Sweaters.  
Suits.

Silk Hose.  
Silk Shirts.  
Pajamas  
Underwear.

Jewelry.  
Fur Caps.  
Cuff Buttons.

## Gift Suggestions for Women

Handkerchiefs,  
Neckwear.  
Jewelry.

Counterpanes.  
Linen Table Cover:  
Napkins.  
Lace Curtains.

Umbrellas.  
Sweaters.  
Aprons.

Caps and Scarfs.  
Silk Hosiery.  
House Slippers.

Towels.  
Pillow Shams.  
Pillow Cases.  
Gowns

Underwear.  
Knit Skirts.  
Silk Petticoats.

Shoes.  
Fur Sets  
Silk Waists

Sheets.  
Blankets  
Comforts.  
Bath Robes.

Cloaks.  
Skirts.  
Corsets.

## Gift Suggestions for Boys and Girls

Neckwear.  
Gloves.  
Sweaters.

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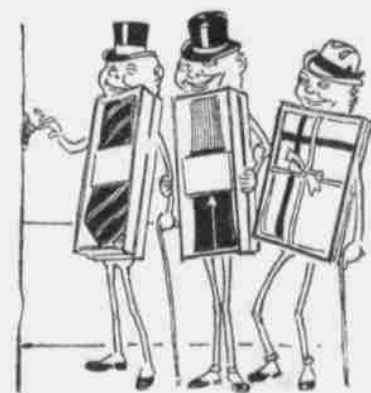
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P. S.—Read our letters on other

pages of this issue.



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at their homes in Atlanta, Ga., and  
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Mrs. A. C. Umstead, who has been  
seriously sick for several weeks at  
the home of her mother, Mrs. A. M.  
King, is rapidly improving.

Mr. Renne Mahon of Maryville, Cal.,  
who is a law student at Vanderbilt,  
will be a guest at the home of Dr. R.  
H. Mahon during the Christmas season.

Mrs. T. O. Bond has as her guest  
her father, Dr. M. H. Owen of Geroni-  
mo, Okla., Messrs. T. O. Bond, Jr.,  
and Watkins Conner are also among  
the guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs.  
T. O. Bond.

George Chamberlain, Jr., who has  
been in Seguin, Texas, with his grand-  
mother, Mrs. L. A. Wilcox, has re-  
turned home, accompanied by his un-  
cle, T. E. Forrest, of Kingsland, Tex.,  
who will spend the holidays with Mr.  
George Chamberlain and family.

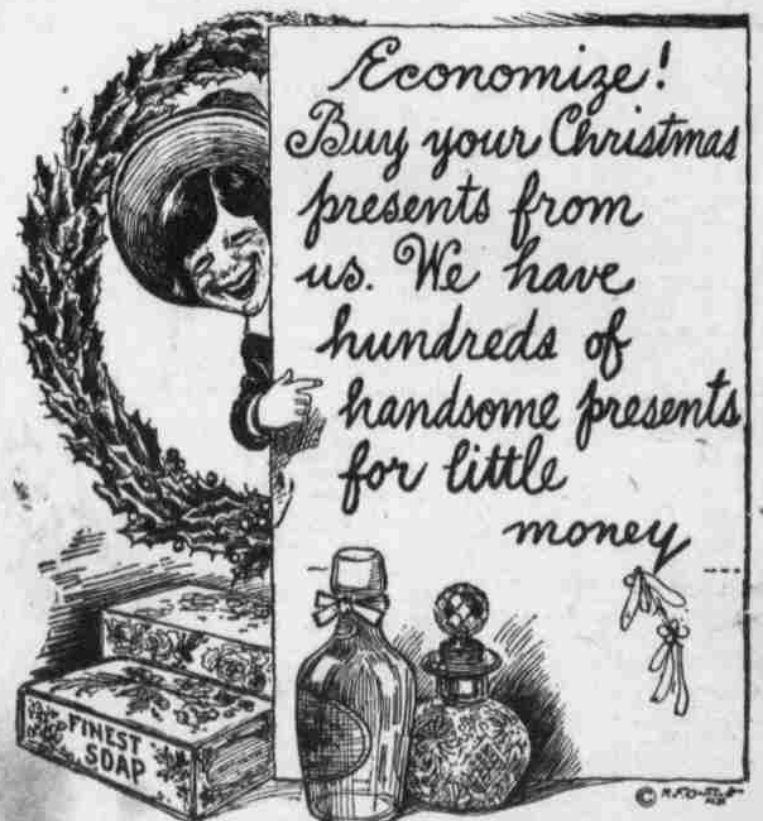
## NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

To Arthur Graham.  
Mary Ellen Graham vs. Arthur Gra-  
ham—Pending in the Circuit court  
of Haywood county, Tennessee.

In this case it appearing from the  
petition filed herein which is sworn to  
that the defendant, Arthur Graham  
is a non-resident of the state of Ten-  
nessee and a resident of the state of  
Missouri, so that the ordinary process  
of law cannot be served upon him, it is  
therefore ordered that publication be  
made in the States-Graphic, a weekly  
newspaper published in Brownsville,  
Tennessee, for four consecutive weeks  
commanding said defendant to make  
his appearance herein at the court  
house in the city of Brownsville, Ten-  
nessee, before the judge of said court  
on

The Fourth Monday in January, 1917  
and plead, answer or otherwise defense  
make to the said petition filed herein  
or same will be taken for confessed as  
to him and set for trial ex parte. Done  
at office in Brownsville, Tennessee, on  
this 13th day of December, 1916.

B. L. CAPELL, Clerk.  
Carrie Dixon, Atty. for Petr.



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